

The Daily Courant.

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Paris, January 22.

An Account of the Ceremony of uncovering the Equestrian Statue of K. Philip V. erected by the City of Naples, for a Testimony of their Loyalty, and in Remembrance of his Majesty's honouring that City with his Presence in the Year 1702. Transmitted from Naples.

THE 16th of September 1705, being the Day appointed for this Ceremony, Preparations were made for it in the Square of Jesus where the Statue stands. In that Square which is 1600 Palms in Circumference, Scaffolds were built; which with the Windows and Balconies of the Houses were adorn'd with Tapistry and Pictures, and fill'd with a great Number of Ladies and others of the chief Quality. In the Middle of the Square was a Building of Wood of 150 Palms in Height, with 4 Columns on the Angles distant from each other 80 Palms, on the Bases of which Columns were the Arms of all the Dominions and Kingdoms which his Catholick Majesty possesses in the 4 Parts of the World. On the Top of this Machine, which was border'd with Flower de Lucies, was a Figure of the Sun of 20 Palms Diameter, with 3 Flower de Lucies the Arms of his Majesty. Underneath was an Imperial Crown 30 Palms in Circumference, from the middle of which hung down a round Curtain of Crimson Damask in the Form of a Tent, 100 Palms long, reaching to the Ground and covering the Statue. The Columns were adorn'd with Statues, Garlands, Trophies, and Devices and Mottoes on Cartouches in Praise of the King. The whole was contriv'd and dispos'd by Don Dominico Dentici, Collonel of Horse, Ingenier, and one of the Nobles of the Jurisdiction of Nido, who had been entrusted by the Duke of Popoli and the Directors of the Fortifications of the City of Naples with the Care of procuring this Statue to be made.

In the Middle of this Machine stood the Statue, which was made in 3 Years Time by the famous Statuary Nicolao Vacaro. The Horse and Rider weigh about 20000 Pound Weight French, are 17 Palms high, and plac'd on a Pedestal of Marble of the same Height and of excellent Workmanship. They are fence'd round with Iron Grates curiously wrought, and 16 small Pillars of Marble. The Front of the Pedestal bears the following Inscription, compos'd by the Learned Matteo Egizi.

PHILIPPO V.

HISP. NEAP. SICIL. ET INDIARUM
REGI POTENTISSIMO
CATHOL. PIO FELICI.
QUOD ADVENTU SUO PRÆSENTI
NUMINE CIVES BENEFICIIS ITALI-
AM MAGNITUDINE RER.
GESTARUM COMPLEVERIT
ORD. POP. Q. NEAPOLITANUS
OPT. MAXIMOQ. PRINCIPI
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ANN. DOM. MDCCII.

At 4 a Clock in the Afternoon, the Marquis de Villena Viceroy of Naples went from his Palace in Cavalcade, preceded by all the principal Nobility mounted on fine Horses, and attended by the Swiss Guards; he took his Way through the magnificent Street of Toledo to the Square of Jesus; and upon his Arrival before the King's Statue, the Curtain was at once drawn up, and form'd a large Canopy adorn'd with Laces, Fringes, and Flower de Lucies, of Gold. Then the Viceroy taking off his Hat bow'd to the Statue, and cry'd *viva el Rey*; which was repeated by all that were present. Immediately 100 Musicians that were plac'd at the Bases of the Columns began a Song in Praise of his Majesty: And while it was performing, the Deputies of the Tribunal (or Office) of Fortification threw among the People from 2 Balconies a great number of silver and copper Medals, representing the Statue with the Name of the King, and on the Reverse the Figure of *Parthenope* sitting arm'd with a Cuirass and holding a Pike in one Hand and a Cornucopia in the other, on the Border were the Words *Adventus Principis Felicissimo*. This done, the Viceroy went to the Royal Church of the Nuns of Santa Clara, where he heard *Te Deum* Sung to Musick, the Infantry that were drawn up in the Square before the Church making a treble Salvo of small Arms, while the Cannon of the 4 Castles of Naples were likewise thrice discharg'd.

Night coming on, the whole Square of Jesus, and the Machine, were illuminated with a prodigious Number of Flambeaux of Venetian Wax, and the 100 Musicians perform'd a Serenade in Praise of his Catholick Majesty.

Hague, January 29. 'Tuesday last the Prussian Minister had a long Conference in Presence of the States Deputies, and afterwards a private one at his own House, with Persons nominated for that purpose by the Princess Dowager of Nassau Friseland, about the Inheritance of the late King of England: And such a Progress was made in that Affair, as gives us Hopes of a good Conclusion of it; tho' it cannot be very speedy, because the said Princess designs to set out to Day or to Morrow for Friseland. Lieutenant General Hompesch went from hence 3 Days ago, to go over in the Pacquet-Boat to England, being provided with the French King's Pass in Case he should by Accident be taken. Some Persons here are of Opinion, that he is to assist in the Conferences that will be held with M. Buys touching the Operations of the ensuing Campaign: And that he will speedily return, in Order to dispose things in those Parts where it shall be thought most proper to make the greatest Efforts. 'Tis also discours'd, that the Duke of Marlborough will probably come over hither in March: And that M. Gellermalsen is gone up into Germany, to concert fit Measures there. The Purveyor General of Bread for the Army, is very pressing to know where he shall lay up the largest Stores; but he has yet receiv'd no Direction in that Point, which seems

to depend upon the Resolutions that shall be taken in England. Yesterday Cavalier the Camisar, at a Conference, offer'd his Service to the States; which Offer was so well taken, that 'tis probable the States will furnish him with a certain Number of Officers of his own Nation, with which he will go over to England; whence with a further Addition of French Officers 'tis presum'd he will be sent to Catalonia, where he may be the more serviceable by being so near to the Sevenses.

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AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Monday, being the 28th of January, will be presented a Comedy, call'd, The Rehearsal; the part of Bays to be perform'd by Mr. Eftcourt, with Entertainments of Singing by Mr. Leveridge, Mr. Hughs, Mrs. Lindley, Mr. Ramondon, and the Boy, and Dancing by Monsieur Cherrier, Mrs. Crofs, Mrs. Mofs, and others. And to Morrow, being Tuesday, at the Desire of several Persons of Quality, will be reviv'd a Comedy, call'd, The Pilgrim; with Dancing by Mr. du Ruel, Mrs. du Ruel, and Mrs. Evans. And Signiora Lovicina being to return very speedily out of England, will (at the desire of several Ladies of Quality) perform for this one day only several Entertainments of Singing in Italian, accompanied by Signior Haym, Signior Saggioni, Signior Gasperini, and others, who will perform several Aurs and Italian Sonatas never yet perform'd on the English Stage.

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AT the Queen's Theatre in the Hay-Market, this present Monday, being the 28th of January, will be reviv'd a Farce, call'd, Squire Trelooby; the last Act being entirely new. To which will be added, The Maſque of Europe's Revels, with an addition of new Dances, never perform'd before.

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These Plays are Sold by J. Knapton at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, and B. Lintott Next Nando's Coffee-House, Temple-Bar.

Loft on Friday last between 12 and 2 a Clock, in Westminster-Hall or parts adjacent, A Bond and Note wrapt up in brown Paper. If the Person who took them up will bring them to Tho. Child, Bookſeller in St. Paul's Church-yard, he shall receive a Reward of 10 s. Note, they are of no Use to any but the Owner.

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On Thursday the 24th Instant a Hackney Coach was sent for from Cornhill, which took up 2 Gentlemen against Billeter-Lane in Leadenhall-street, and carried them to the Bull in Holborn, and from thence to the Crown in St. Giles's; They left under the Seat a Band-box with things of Value. If the Coach-man or any Body else, will bring them to a Stationer over against Billeter-lane in Leadenhall-street, they shall have 10 s. Reward.

The Mathematick Lecture at the Marine Coffee-house in Birch-lane, will begin again to Morrow the 29th of this Instant January, at 7 a Clock in the Evening, if the Subscriptions be fully completed before that Time. The Books read there and all the other Mathematical Books are Sold by Dan. Midwinter at the Rose and Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard.

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This Day at 5 a Clock, at the BLEW-COAT Coffee-house in Swithin's Alley near the Royal Exchange will begin the Sale by Auction of an extraordinary Collection of Modern English Books, most of which are justly bound amongst them are Rusſiworth's Collections, 8 Vol. complete, Ricaults History of the Turks 3 Vol. complete, Pools Annotations 2. Vol. with the Cuts, Sir Richard Blackmore's Works, Lingcotes's Travels with the Maps, Book of Martyrs 3 Vol. best Edition, Clark's Bible, Manton 119 Psalm. Catalogues may be had at Mr. D. Brown's at Temple-Bar, Mr. Knapton at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, Mr. Ballard at the Rising Sun in Little Britain, at Hamlin's and other Coffee-houses about the Exchange, and at the Place of Sale.

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On Thursday next being the 31st Instant, at the Temple Coffee-house in Devereux Court in the Strand, will begin the Sale by Auction of Bibliotheca Legalis, being a Collection of the most valuable Authors in the Statute and common Law of this Realm; and likewise a Miscellaneous Collection of the best Authors in most Arts and Sciences, being the Library of a Gentleman late of the Temple, with a curious Collection of French and other Prints, among which are the Original Battles of Alexander the Great, &c. Catalogues may be had to Morrow of Charles Smith at the Roe-Buck between the 2 Temple Gates, and at the Place of Sale.

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For the Advancement of Experimental Philosophy, and for the Benefit of all such Gentlemen, as are willing to lay the best and surest Foundation for all useful Knowledge: There are provided Engines for rarifying and condensing Air, with all the Appurtenances thereunto belonging; also Barometers, Thermometers, and such other Instruments as are necessary for a Course of Experiments, in order to prove the Weight and Spring of the Air, its usefulness in the propagation of Sounds and Conservation of Life, &c. with several new and surprising Experiments concerning the Production of Light and various other useful Experiments for making the Hydrostatical Experiments to determine the Laws of Fluids Gravitating upon each other. By J. Hodgson and F. Hauksbee, Fellows of the Royal Society. This Course will begin this present Monday, about 5 in the Evening, at the Room standing over the Entrance to the Queen's Head Tavern in Fleet-street, near Temple-Bar, and will be continued Mondays and Thursdays till finish'd. At which times Lectures will be Read for the better understanding the Experiments, and for the drawing of such Conclusions and Uses as flow from them. Those Gentlemen that are desirous to be present must pay 2 Guineas, one at the time of Subscription, and the other on the 3d Night after the Course begins. Subscriptions are taken in at Mr. Hauksbee's in Giltspur-street without Newgate, and at Mr. Senex's Bookſeller next Door to the Fleet Tavern in Cornhill, at which Place Proposals more at large may be seen.

Newly Publish'd,

Iberia Liberata: A Poem, occasion'd by the Success of Her Majesty's Arms in Catalonia, Valencia, &c. Under the Command of the Right Honourable Charles, Earl of Peterborough and Monmouth, General of Her Majesty's Forces in Spain, and Joint-Admiral of the Royal Fleet: By J. Oldmixon. Printed for Anthony Barker at the Unicorn next Serjeants-Inn-Gate in Fleet-street, and sold by John Nut, near Stationers-Hall. Price 1s.

A Sermon preached in the Parish Church of Holt, in Worcestershire, on Sunday the 2d Day of September 1705. at the Funeral of Mrs. Mercy Bromley of Holt Castle: By George Wals, D. D. Rector of that Church, and Prebendary of Worcester. Printed for Richard Sare at Grays-Inn-Gate in Holborn, and John Mountford, Bookſeller in Worcester.

Further Notice is hereby given, by the Original Author of Strops, that they are now brought to such an admirable Perfection, that not only Razors, Penknives, or Lancets, or any other fine cutting Instrument can be set thereon to a most exquisite fine Edge, but likewise polishing them to an extraordinary Brightness, and are only sold by Mr. Shipton at John's Coffee-house, in Swithin's Alley, near the Royal Exchange, London, at 1s. each. with plain Directions, neatly fix'd upon the Back of each Board, to distinguish them from Counterfeits, as was mention'd in the Gazette the 22d of October past.

The first and most approved Angelick Tincture for Coughs, began to be expos'd to Sale October 10. 1704. and for more than one whole Year escap'd unmolested by Counterfeits. It is a great and stupendious Medicine, having sav'd the Lives of many, doing the Cure on the Spouter a Thousand other things fail, when it is taken into the Mouth the Cough doth instantly Cease, and after 2 Days return no more, the Truth whereof is sufficiently evin'd by Examples of Cures in former Advertisements. N. B. This excellent Secret is nowhere to be had save at, John's Coffee-house in Swithin's Alley by the Royal Exchange, and at the 7 Stars under St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-street. Price 1s. each Bottle.

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The Case of the Traders of London, as it now stands, since the Copartnerſhip of the Wharfigers, where are that Clause in the Act of Parliament that directs the Rates of Warriage to be sett'd, the Rates propos'd by the Merchants, by the Eastland Company, and by all the then Wharfigers in order to the said Settlement, with the Proceedings thereon. Printed for S. Crouch, at the corner of Popes-Head-Alley in Cornhill.

The Second Edition of Dr. Smallidge's Sermon preach'd before the Queen at St. James's-Chappel. Nov. 5. 1705. Publish'd by Her Majesty's especial Command. Printed for Thomas Bennet at the Half Moon in St. Paul's Church-yard.

The SIMILY, a Poem. Price 2 d. Newly publish'd Perolla and Izadora a Tragedy by Mr. Gilbert Hamſted Heath, Fair Example Comedies. All Printed for Bernard Lintott, at the Cross Keys and Crown next Nando's Coffee-house, Temple-Bar.

Pharmacopœia Bateana: or, Bates Dispensatory. Containing his choice and select Recipes, their Names, Compositions, Preparations, Vertues, Uses and Doses as they are applicable to the whole Practice of Physick and Chirurgery. The Arcana Goddardians, and their Recipes; also the fam'd Dr. Goddard's Drops, Rusſi's Powder, Rabell's Styrpick Powder, Tinctura de Sulphure Mercurio, Emplaſtrum febrifugum. The Third Edition with Emendations, and above 1000 other Additions. By William Salmon, M. D. Printed for S. Smith and B. Walford, at the Prince's Arms in St. Paul's Church-yard, in 8vo 1706.

Female Falshood: or, The unfortunate Beau: Being the Amorous Memoirs of a late French Nobleman. Written by himself in his Retirement, and digested by M. de St. Evremont. Made English: The Second Edition, wherein is add'd the Second Part, which Compleats the Work. Sold by the Bookſellers.

A Discourse concerning the Unchangeable Obligations of Natural Religion, and the Truth, and certainty of the Christian Revelation, being 3 Sermons Preach'd in the Year 1705, at the Lecture founded by the Honourable Robert Boyle Esq, By S. Clark M. A. Chaplain to the Lord Bishop of Norwich. Printed for J. Knapton at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, where may be had his Lectures for 1704.

The Practical Pen-Man, a new Copy-Book, containing the usual Hands of England: Also 2 Chronological Tables, curiously engraven and printed upon the best Imperial Paper. Sold by J. Brooke on London-Bridge, A. Oldſworth in Cannon-street, G. Strahan in Cornhill, J. Robinson, R. Wilkin, and J. Taylor in St. Paul's Church-yard, M. Wotton, and B. Lintott in Fleet-street, J. Barnes in the Pall-Mall, J. Hartley in Holborn, and by the Author, Thomas Olyffe at the Hand and Pen in Fetter-Lane, where are taught Writing and Accounts, and Youth Boarded.

A new Description of Orkney, Zetland, Pightland, Feth, and Cairneſſe; being a Journal of the Author's Voyage thither, and a general Account of those Northern Places; as also a View of the General Isles, with what is most remarkable therein. By J. Brand. Sold by J. Taylor, at the Ship in St. Paul's Church-yard.

A new and easy Method of learning Geography: describing the Form of Government, the Humours and Customs of the Inhabitants, and whatever is most Remarkable in each Country, with Observations upon the most important Revolutions and Accidents in the respective States. To which is added, a short Description of the Sphere, and a full Explication of the Design, Contrivance and Use of Globes, Maps, and Sea Charts. Newly done in French by Mr. A. D. Fer, Geographer, and faithfully translated into English. Printed for J. Knapton at the Crown in Paul's Church-yard.

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